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HOUSE OF THE PEOPLE

The following Bill was introduced in the House of the People on 23rd April 1954:—

BILL No. 17 OF 1954

A Bill further to amend the Benares Hindu University Act, 1915.

WHEREAS it is expedient further to amend the Benares Hindu University Act (XVI of 1915) in the manner hereinafter appearing;

BE it enacted by Parliament as follows:—

1. **Short title.**—This Act may be called the Benares Hindu University (Amendment) Act, 19 .

2. **Amendment of section 17, Act XVI of 1915.**—In sub-section (6) of section 17 of the Benares Hindu University Act, 1915 for the word “either” occurring for the first time, the words “approve or” shall be substituted.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS

Sub-section (6) of section 17 of the Benares Hindu University Act, 1915 empowers the Benares Hindu University Court either to reject the proposal or refer the draft of any statute proposed by a member of the Court for consideration of the executive council of the said University. The Court is vested with negative powers only. For smooth functioning of day to day work and immediate disposal of procedural and technical matters and to vest the Court with positive and substantive rights, it is necessary to amend the said section. Hence this Bill.

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